



LANDSCAPING FOR CLEAN WATER GRANT

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The Landscaping for Clean Water Grant program makes it easy for Dakota County residents to plan and install native gardens, raingardens, and native shoreline plantings.

Just follow the steps below!

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Dakota County Soil and
Water Conservation District

- 1. LEARN** Attend a FREE Introduction to Clean Water class for insight on Dakota County water resources, register for the Design Course to plan a garden project, and sign-up for a Garden Maintenance or Natural Shoreline workshop.
- 2. DESIGN** In the Design Course (online or in-person) you will plan a garden for your own yard with Dakota SWCD assistance. A \$25 registration fee includes the Blue Thumb Guide to Raingarden book, property maps, learning materials & more!
- 3. APPLY** Submit an application for consideration to receive a \$250 Landscaping for Clean Water grant.
- 4. INSTALL** Install your garden or shoreline project per approved plan with onsite guidance from the Dakota SWCD's expert staff.
- 5. RECEIVE** You will be awarded a \$250 grant from Dakota SWCD upon project completion.

LANDSCAPING FOR CLEAN WATER GRANT DEADLINES

	Application	Project Completion*
Round 1	May 1, 2024	July 26, 2024
Round 2	May 29, 2024	August 23, 2024
Round 3	July 10, 2024	October 4, 2024

* Grant automatically expires if the project is not completed by this



Visit www.dakotaSWCD.org for additional information or scan the QR Code.



Raingarden



Native Garden



Native Shoreline
Planting

17 YEARS OF CLEAN WATER
ACCOMPLISHMENTS!!

Workshop Participants 5,743

Projects Completed 766